



PATENT  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Esben STROBECH, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1785

Serial No.: 10/587,265

Examiner: Reddy, Sathavaram I.

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For: ABSORBING ARTICLE WITH ZONES OF DIFFERENT SURFACE PROPERTIES

**AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 9, 2010  
(Paper No. 20101119), please amend the captioned application as set  
forth herein.